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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

The King cotton mill, Augusta, Ga., resumed yesterday. —— A bill for an appropriation of $150,000 for the Charleston Exposition Company was introduced in the House yesterday. —— The M. E. conference at Dallas, Texas, elected two new bishops; the compromise report on the war claim matter was adopted. —— Steamer John K. Speed burned at New Orleans with wharves and cargo; loss $75,000. —— Two hundred and four dead bodies recovered from the Coal Creek mine. —— Standard Oil Co.'s tug Veit towed into Cape Lookout cove the tug Chief, disabled, from Mobile for Philadelphia. —— Senator Hoar spoke in the Senate on the Philippine question, denouncing the attitude of the government and urging that the United States withdraw from the islands. —— A negro who assaulted a white woman at Lansing, Texas, was captured and burned by a mob near that place. —— People on the island of Martinique are terrified and clamoring to be taken far away from the island; eruptions of the volcano still continue. —— New York markets: Money on call was steady at 3@4 per cent.; cotton quiet at 9½c; flour was neglected and generally weak at yesterday's decline; wheat—spot easy; No. 2 red 88½; corn—spot steady; No. 2 70½c; oats—spot quiet; No. 2 46c; rosin dull; spirits turpentine dull.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., May 22.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 67 degrees; 8 P. M., 69 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 55 degrees; mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for day, 00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.96.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

The temperatures are lower in the Atlantic coast districts and are generally higher to the westward. Local rains have fallen in Georgia, South Carolina, Alabama, Arkansas and Texas.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Friday; Saturday, probably fair; light to fresh south winds.

Port Almanac--May 23.

Sun Rises	4.48 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.04 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 16 M.
High Water at Southport	8.30 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	11.00 A. M.

Some of the natives of British India have caught on to counterfeiting the rupee. With the low price of siver bullion they are doing a profitable business.

Samuel Gompers, the labor leader speaks five languages, English, French, German, Spanish and Italian, and can, when he feels like it, emphasize in any of them.

The latest in the Kodak line is a $55,000,000 combine of the kodak manufacturers of this country, England and Canada. This looks like taking a snap shop at the kodak toters.

It is figured out that 103,000 immigrants and migrators have passed through St. Paul this year to locate in the Dakotas and other States, while some crossed the Canadian border.

Sir Thomas Lipton says he doesn't want to be made a peer because that would take him too far away from his friends. W. W. Astor wants to be a peer; but he hasn't any friends to get away from.

Mr. Bryan's *Commoner* is of the opinion that there is "plenty of Presidential timber" in the Democratic party. It named several, and it couldn't have picked out commoner stuff than some of them are if it tried.

To offset the increased price of meat the State Board of Control of Minnesota has unanimously resolved to increase the pay of all State employes 10 per cent. That will help them to buy a little meat occasionally, and it will cost the State $40,000 a year.

Since the national banking law was amended to authorize the establishment of banks with $25,000 capital, 167 national banks have been established in the South. In addition to these there have been 297 private banks established under State laws.

They are organizing companies in the Northwest to buy large tracts of wheat lands in British Columbia. One has just been formed by Duluth, Minneapolis and Chicago capitalists, who propose to invest $3,500,000 in those lands. The next thing the Britishers will wake up to will be the fact that those Western Yankees will have the grip on the best of those lands.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Wilmington Presbytery will hold an adjourned session at Point Caswell June 1st.

— Dr. Geo. C. Worth will deliver a lecture on missions next Sunday at Mt. Williams, Pender county, N. C.

— Rev. J. C. Story, who supplied the pulpit of Immanuel Presbyterian church last Summer, is now engaged in mission work in Brunswick.

— By deed of date April 21st, the late James Wilson transferred to Elizabeth and Samuel Colwell, for $175, lot 33x165 feet on the east side of Woods' street near Miller.

Light Ship Repairs Complete.

Frying Pan Lightship No. 1 will come off the ways at Skinner's this morning and will proceed at once to her station. The extensive repairs to the big vessel have been completed in a very satisfactory manner and with the utmost dispatch. Capt. J. W. Whiteley, who has supervised the work for the government, has made hundreds of friends here, who will welcome him this way again should his official duties call him to Wilmington in the future. The repairs to the ship were made by Mr. Louis H. Skinner, who was the successful bidder for the contract over large firms in several other cities.

The Strawberry Crop.

Burgaw *Chronicle*: "The daily strawberry shipments from this point have continued to decline, until the daily shipments are now no more than a few dozen crates. During the past week about thirteen hundred crates have been shipped from this point, making the total shipments this year twelve thousand and three hundred crates, and reducing the shortage in this year's crop to twenty-five per cent., instead of thirty-three and one-third per cent., as was previously announced. Almost the entire shortage is found in this year's plants, as they were more affected by the unfavorable conditions than the older plants."

Mr. Clayton Redd Ill.

A telegram yesterday to Capt. J. M. McGowan, of Eyota Tribe No. 5, Imp. proved Order of Red Men, brought news of the illness with varioloid of Mr. Clayton C. Redd, in Kingston Avenue Hospital, Flatbush, L. I. Mr. Redd recently went to New York to take a position in one of the large job printing plants in the metropolis. Capt. McGowan telegraphed Katahatchee Tribe No. 271, I. O. R. M., to do all in its power to make the distressed brother comfortable.

Grand Lodge of Pythians.

Wilmington will be well represented at the Pythian Grand Lodge of North Carolina which meets in Asheville early in June. Stonewall Lodge will be represented by Maj. W. F. Robertson; Clarendon by Mr. J. F. Littleton; Germania by Mr. S. Behrends; Jefferson by Mr. R. S. Collins and Clarkton Lodge No. 121, by Mr. O. L. Clark. Supreme Master of Exchequer, T. D. Meares, District Deputy J. D. Nutt and Col. Walker Taylor, a member of the Judiciary Committee, will also attend.

An Approaching Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cook have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Allena Leet, to Mr. Samuel A. Matthews, Wednesday evening, June 4th, at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 106 Castle street. The bride is a popular young lady of Wilmington, and the groom was once of this city but now has an important position with the American Pine Fibre Co., of Cronly.

The Fayetteville Guns via Wilmington.

A Washington dispatch says: "The two thirty-pound parrot guns, which Mr. Bellamy has secured for the town of Fayetteville, will be shipped by steamer from the Brooklyn navy yard to Wilmington next week. The guns were taken from the Spaniards at Santiago. Forty balls to be used for pyramid ornamentation will be shipped from Norfolk."

Brick for Princess Street.

The schooner *Morris and Cliff* arrived yesterday from Rockland, Me., with cargo of lime for The Coal, Cement and Supply Co. The schooner *Dora Allison* arrived from New York to Roger Moore's Sons & Co., with balance of the brick for the Princess street paving. The vessel also brought a part cargo of cement.

TUG CHIEF DISABLED.

Towed Into Lookout Cove by Standard Oil Co.'s Tug Veit.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

BEAUFORT, N. C., May 22.—The Standard Oil Company's tug *Veit*, towing the barge *Providence*, bound for Galveston, picked up north of Hatteras in a disabled and sinking condition, having blown a hole in her boiler, the tug *Chief* from Mobile bound for Philadelphia, and towed her into Cape Lookout cove. The captain, if possible, will repair damages; otherwise, the *Chief*, will be towed to destination. The *Veit* proceeded south; weather good.

— Mr. P. C. Fussell, one of the enterprising strawberry growers of Rose Hill, came down yesterday to get a breathing spell after the heavy shipping season. Mr. Fussell says the crop was short in his section.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice—In bankruptcy.
J. H. Hinton—Seashore Hotel.
Vollers & Hashagen—No bands.

DEFEAT NUMBER 14.

Home Environment Added Nothing to Wilmington Team's Winning Prospects.

SWEENEY WAS IN THE BOX.

Pitched a Good Game, But Was Poorly Supported—Raleigh Defeated Newbern and Charlotte Kept Up Its Pennant Work—Notes.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Charlotte, 11; Greensboro, 2.
Durham, 10; Wilmington, 4.
Newbern, 0; Raleigh, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Durham at Wilmington.
Newbern at Raleigh.
Greensboro at Charlotte.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Charlotte	12	3	.800
Raleigh	11	5	.687
Durham	9	7	.562
Greensboro	8	8	.500
Newbern	6	10	.375
Wilmington	1	14	.066

Pardon the intrusion upon the colored supplement of the Sunday *World*, but it was Kaizenjammer ball.

The score was 10 to 4 in favor of Durham and the game required over two hours in the playing. Neither eam covered itself with fragrant rosebuds but there was good individual work. Sweeney was in the box for the locals and his friends were glad to see that his right arm had lost none of its cunning. He was, however, wild and gave too much transportation and hit too many batsmen. But for the seven errors behind him he would doubtless have won his game.

The speedy Tar Heel twirler hit Curtis, the first man up, fanned Stocksdale and Fisher caught Curtis going to second. Rockford fanned. The locals were retired with a pretty double in the first, after Handibou had singled, McGinnis had drawn a pass and Mathison had gone out to left.

In the second Deiters and Davis got life on errors of Handibou and Hutton. Smithson beat the ozone and Soffie forced Deiters at the plate. The previous errors had put Sweeney in a deep well but he drew himself out gracefully. With the bases full he made a sensational stop of Logan's sharp hit and caught Davis at the plate. Morris, next up, fanned and the remarkable feat of retiring the side with the cushions occupied, was accomplished. The Sailors in that inning were put overboard in their order.

In the third Durham tallied two on a glaring muff of Smithson's fly in left by Boucher with two men down. In its half of the fourth Wilmington scored three with two men down. Handibou walked and was forced at second by McGinnis, Dommel singled and Fisher swatted a nice one to deep left for two bags, clearing the bases. Fisher later scored on a single by Hutton.

All hope ended for Wilmington in the fifth when eight Durhamites crossed the pan. Rockford singled; Deiters was hit and Davis filled the bases on Hutton's mis-choice. Smithson popped out to Handibou and Sweeney gave up a pass to Soffie, forcing in Rockford. With the bases ull Logan tripled to deep left and Deiters, Davis and Soffie came home. Morris hit to short, who fumbled and Logan scored. Curtis went out, pitcher to first, and Capt. Stocksdale sent a "Texas Leaguer" to centre which let in Morris. Rockford sent one to third, which was not handled and "Stocks" scored. Deiters singled to centre and Rockford scored. McGinnis practiced a huge deceit on Deiters in fielding the hit and caught him at second.

Sweeney made one last attempt to win his game in the ninth by batting Boucher home but a lead of seven was too much to overcome and the game went as the fourteen others played this season have gone. Here's the figures but they afford little consolation:

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Durham	1	0	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	10	4	1
Wilmington	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	4	7	7

Batteries: Morris and Logan; Sweeney and Fisher.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

DURHAM.	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Curtis, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Stocksdale, cf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Roachford, rf	5	2	1	2	0	0
Deiters, 3b	3	1	1	3	6	0
Davis, 1b	4	1	0	18	0	1
Smithson, ss	3	0	0	0	4	0
Soffie, 3b	3	1	0	1	4	0
Logan, c	4	1	1	1	0	0
Morris, p	4	1	0	1	5	0
Total	33	10	4	27	19	1

WILMINGTON	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Mathison, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Handibou, 2b	3	0	1	3	0	2
McGinnis, cf	2	1	0	0	1	0
Dommel, 1b & lf	4	1	2	3	0	1
Fisher, c	4	1	2	13	2	0
Hutton, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	2
Boucher, lf & 1b	3	1	0	3	0	1
Accorsini, ss	4	0	0	2	2	1
Sweeney, p	4	0	1	1	3	0
Total	31	4	7	27	11	7

Summary: Stolen bases, Logan. Two base hit, Fisher. Three base hit, Logan. Double plays, Deiters to Davis, Smithson to Deiters to Davis. Base on balls, off Morris 4, Sweeney 5. Hit by pitched ball, by Morris 1, Sweeney 5. Struck out, by Morris 1, Sweeney 11. Passed ball, Fisher 1. Time, 2:05. Umpire, Mr. Mace.

"Wait 'til the Clouds Roll By." But How Long?

— Dunn will pitch to-day.

— The Giants out-error-ded Errored.

— The Durham Bulls 8 us up in the fifth inning.

— Won one still hangs over us like a funeral pall.

— Manager Stocksdale was cordially greeted yesterday by his numerous friends.

— Too many "straights" have given the horse editor the blind staggers.

— The Giants (limited) were yesterday impaled on the horns of the Durham Bulls.

— The pruning operation must be continued until the patient is relieved of all diseased limbs. It is painful, but necessary.

— The Durham Bulls are "loaded for Bear;" but the Wilmington matadores will be there with their red flags and short-swords.

— Accorsini, the new short stop, was sent down from Greensboro by King Kelly. Manager Bear has promised to give him a trial.

— Fisher is pre-eminently the favorite with cranks and crankerinas alike. He was several times applauded yesterday for his conscientious work.

—Gilligan, the noted short-stop, last year with Newport News, has not yet been signed, but an offer has been made him by telegraph, which it is believed he will accept.

— Sweeney, though wild at times, did some fine work in the box, striking out eleven men to one by Morris. But it required something more than box work yesterday.

— Fisher is popular with the fans and he deserves to be. In recognition of his splendid work yesterday, a purse of $5 was made up without difficulty and presented to him.

— Ed Gilligan, the new man signed, is now in Cincinnati. His terms have been accepted and he is expected today or to-morrow. He will captain the team when he arrives.

— No people on earth have ever stood by a team in adversity as have the people of Wilmington. May they not hope that their team will soon be made a winning one?

— The horse editor has not yet abandoned all hope. But unless new blood is infused into the luckless Giants very soon he will abandon everything and take to the woods.

Game Yesterday at Tarboro.

TARBORO, N. C., May 22.—Tarboro defeated Rocky Mount in a one-sided game of ball to-day. Matthews succeeded Fountain in the box for the visitors in the fifth and pitched fair ball but his support was miserable. Arnheims' pitching for the home team was a feature. Tarboro made 16 runs, 15 hits and 3 errors. Rocky Mount 3 runs, 6 hits and 13 errors. Batteries: Arnheims and Fenner; Fountain, Matthews and Bennett.

The Religious Reporter Protests.

The religious reporter of THE MORNING STAR, is prepared to admit that as a piscatorial prevaricator he has a reputation to maintain, and when engaged in that occupation he always "hews to the lyin'". But when it comes to church work, which is his specialty, he belongs to that class who are eminently qualified for "climbing up the golden stair." He, therefore, wishes to proclaim with due meekness, and yet with a moderate degree of emphasis, that, in his thrilling and masterful "story" of the "welcome meeting" at Brooklyn Baptist church he did not write, "was greeted by as large a congregation as ever gathered in a house of worship." What he did write was, "loyal," not "large," being fully cognizant of the fact that he was not writing a fish story. Nor did he write of the addresses of Rev. Dr. Blackwell and Rev. C. B. Paul, that they were "received and delivered in excellent taste." "Conceived" for "received," if you please."

All of which is respectfully submitted, with due apologies to Dr. Blackwell and others who have flocks, for the intimation that the congregation at Brooklyn church equalled in numbers any ever assembled in the world's history.

That Extra K. S. Train.

Mr. L. B. Rogers, secretary of the joint trade committee, has received a letter from Vice President and General Manager Barr of the Seaboard Air Line stating that in a few days some definite decision will be made in regard to the extra passenger train wanted on the Carolina Central. Mr. Barr assigns as a reason for the delay this continued absence from the home office at Portsmouth. Mr. Rogers expects favorable news from Mr. Barr in a few days.

River Excursion To-Day.

The steamer *Wilmington* will make three trips to Carolina Beach to-day on account of the annual excursion of the Boys' Brigade. At the beach there will be music, dancing and refreshments at Sedgeley Hall Club House and a target practice on the grounds. The schedule of the steamer leaving Wilmington is 9:45 A. M., 5:15 and 7:30 P. M. With favorable weather a large crowd will patronize the excursion.

Lightning at Fort Caswell.

Southport *Standard*: "In the thunder storm of Tuesday afternoon lightning struck the Quartermaster storehouse at Fort Caswell which is nearly completed by Bonsel & Co., contractors, which did some damage to the chimney, part of the weather boarding and parts of the slate roof. Several persons were in the house at the time, but sustained a very severe shock only. An endless chain that reached through two stories of the building, was a noticeable conductor of the current. Fifty dollars will cover all damages."

Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.

Funeral services over the remains of the little son of Mr. W. Freeman LeGwin were conducted at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the family residence, No. 812 Chesnut street, by the Rev. Jno. H. Hall, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church. The remains were tenderly laid to rest in Bellevue.

CLOSING EXERCISES.

Programme of Entertaining Features Observed by Union School Yesterday.

AUDIENCE WELL PLEASED.

Large Attendance During the Past Year About Evenly Divided Between the Boys and Girls—Songs, Recitation, Dialogue, Tableaux.

Union School closed one of the most successful years in its history with highly appropriate and very creditable exercises yesterday morning, which were enjoyed by a large audience including prominent persons identified with the educational interests of the city and many friends and patrons of the institution. The exercises were opened with a short and felicitous address by Superintendent Blair and every number on the programme was executed with a skill and grace that reflected much credit upon the training of the students.

Miss Nellie Cook, the supervising principal, announced the numbers on the programme and under her capable direction the entertainment was one of the most pleasing events in the history of the school. The Japanese drill was one of the prettiest features and little Miss Edith Pritchard as *Lady Bunny* and Master Robert Strange as *Sir Thomas Grimalkin*, characters in "Peggy's Dream," simply captivated the audience in the interpretation of their parts.

The programme was as follows:

Piano Solo by Helen Hopewell.
"Picnic Time" by Wilkin Roddick.
A Duet by Pattie Forshee and Leon Jewell.
"The Duel" by Louise McManus.
"The Kazoo Band" by Capt. Kangaroo and his men.
Japanese Drill by Faye Peirce, Louise Sholar, Esther Hashagen, Jennie Thomas, Lucile and Mary Riley, Lillian Davis, Camille Fleet, Sallie Mason, Laura Seigler, Eva Webster, Ruth Dudley.

PEGGY'S DREAM.

Cast of Characters.

Peggy—Emily Westbrook.
Fairy—Annette Munds.
Bopeep Girls—Amoret Lord, Theo. Cantwell, Nannie Walters, Isabel Smallbones and Agnes McQueen.
Sir Thomas Grimalkin—Robert Strange.
Lady Bunny—Edith Pritchard.
Miss Muffet—Sadie Booker.
Jack and Jill—Frank Britain and Fannie Forshee.
Mother Hubbard—Edith Butler.
Boy Blue—Leon Jewell.
King Cole and Fiddlers—Herbert O'Neil, Gus Christofferson, Louis Beldon and Harry Allen.
Jack Horner—Clem Brown.
Mother Goose—Mabel Croom.
Flower Girls—Marguerite Solomon and Nellie McRae.
Brownies—Harmen and John Lee Roverson.
Frog—Bruce Cameron.
Chorus.

Among those in the audience were Messrs. Samuel Northrop, W. R. Kenan and C. W. Worth, of School Committee No. 2, the High School faculty, teachers from other schools, many patrons and representatives of the press.

Cruelty to Children and Animals.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Animals will hold its annual meeting at the office of Mr. A. S. Heide, on Water street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The members of the association and others who are interested in the good work which is being done are expected to be present. An election of officers will be held.

Wilmington Lady Dead.

Town Creek correspondence of Southport *Standard*; "The community is made sad by the death of Mrs. Fannie Justice, a former citizen of Town Creek, but recently of Wilmington, which occurred on Tuesday morning last. Her death was unexpected, her illness being very short. The remains were taken to Town Creek and buried at Zion. The bereaved husband and family of children are due very much sympathy."

North Carolina Sorosis.

A number of the members of the Wilmington Chapter, North Carolina Sorosis, met last evening at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Chadbourn and elected Mrs. Andrew Howell, Jr., and Miss Jennie Wood as delegates to a general meeting of Sorosis to be held in Winston-Salem May 27th, for the purpose of forming the North Carolina Federation of Sorosis.

Brunswick Veterans' Reunion.

The Confederate Veterans of Brunswick will enjoy a big reunion and rally at Southport to-morrow and all veterans are invited to participate in the same and to enjoy Southport's hospitality upon this occasion. There will be a parade, a basket picnic, an address by some distinguished veteran and other exercises of an entertaining character.

The Strawberry Movement.

Wednesday's strawberry shipments amounted to 11 refrigerator cars and 89 crates by Express. The refrigerator shipments were distributed: Two cars each to New York, Pittsburg, Buffalo and Scranton, and one each to Erie, Albany and Elmira. Shipments will perhaps cease altogether to-day or to-morrow.

Steamer Sails To-day.

By reference to the advertisement it will be seen that the Clyde steamer will sail for New York this afternoon instead of Saturday afternoon as usual. The change in the sailing day is for this week.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro, is registered at The Orton.

— Miss Sallie McRee has returned from a very pleasant visit to friends in the North.

— Mr. D. W. Carter, of Jerome, Bladen county, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

— Bruce Williams, Esq., arrived this morning from Whiteville on the belated Charleston train.

— Mrs. W. M. Stevenson is visiting the family of Prof. John G. Russell, at Liberty, N. C., near Greensboro.

— Dr. W. Ivey Taylor, who graduated with distinction in medicine at the North Carolina Medical College this week, arrived in the city yesterday and received numerous congratulations from friends. Dr. Taylor will practice his profession at Bowling Green, Ky.

— Mrs. D. W. Bulluck and Mrs. John W. Harper went to Winston yesterday to attend the centennial exercises at the Salem Female Academy. Miss Jennie Wood and Miss Lucy Chadbourn and Mrs. Harper, members of the class of '95, will attend a class reunion. Miss Wood and Miss Chadbourn will go up Saturday.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Beginning with Wednesday, May 21st, and until further notice a train will leave Wilmington daily at 10.10 A. M., and returning leave Ocean View at 11.10 A. M. my 21 6t

FOR SHERIFF.

I would respectfully solicit the votes of my fellow citizens for the nomination as candidate for Sheriff at the primary on 27th inst.
my 20 7t WILLIAM A. WILLIAMS.

BROOKE G. EMPIE

Announces himself as a candidate for member of the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the Democratic primary. my 18 tf

FOR CONSTABLE.

Having served for 4 years as Constable and believing that I have given satisfaction, I hope that I will receive the vote for renomination in the coming primary.
ap 30 1m* WILLIAM SHEEHAN.

For Register of Deeds.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for New Hanover county, subject to the will of the people at the Democratic primary.
my 11 till 27. JOHN HAAR.

For Clerk Superior Court.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection to the office of Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the will of the Democratic primary, and respectfully solicit the support of the Democratic voters of New Hanover county. I embrace this occasion to make grateful acknowledgements for expressions of confidence. JNO. D. TAYLOR.
ap 1 tf

For House of Representatives.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held May 27th.
my 1 tf GEORGE L. MORTON.

SUMMER SCHOOL

For Teachers. University of North Carolina, Ninth Session, June 16, July 5. Twenty Instructors. Three thousand five hundred Teachers have attended in the past. Expenses low. Address F. P. VENABLE, President, Chapel Hill, N. C.
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Palace Pharmacy,
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN District of North Carolina—ss. In the United States District Court in and for said District, Fourth Division, in the matter of Nathan L. Henderson, bankrupt, No. 75. In bankruptcy. Petition for discharge. To the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. Nathan L. Henderson, of Laurinburg, in the county of Scotland, and State of North Carolina, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 10th day of January last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore, he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 19th day of May, A. D. 1902.

NATHAN L. HENDERSON, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

Eastern District of North Carolina, county of New Hanover ss.: On this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1902, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1902, before Samuel H. MacRae, Referee of said Court, at Fayetteville, N. C., in said district, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon; and that notice thereof be published in THE MORNING STAR, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors, and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the Court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated. Witness, the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1902.

Attest: HIRAM L. GRANT, Clerk.
By WM. H. SHAW, Deputy Clerk.
my 22 1t

The Seashore Hotel,
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BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 23.

DISFRANCHISING THE BENEVOLENTLY ASSIMILATED.

In the discussion of the Philippine bill in the Senate some of the Republican Senators have twitted Southern Democratic Senators with qualified suffrage in the South, asserting that the black citizens of this sections are not fairly treated and, therefore, that Southern Democratic Senators cannot consistently champion the cause of the Filipinos and insist upon their right to govern themselves. Senator Pritchard, of this State, and Senator McComas, of Maryland, show much zeal in misrepresenting their own section, and the motives and practices of Southern Democrats, to bolster up Republican schemes of oppression in the Philippines.

It is somewhat remarkable that the Republicans should show so much more interest in protecting the Philippines from the rule of the ignorant and incompetent than they do in seeing the South protected from that kind of rule, and that there should be such carping and howling when the white citizens of the South adopt measures to protect themselves—measures that are neither unjust nor oppressive to the negro.

In all their criticism and denunciation of qualified suffrage in the South they have never been able to show that the negro has suffered by it, or that his condition is not as good as it was when there was no qualified suffrage. They dare not assert it because the facts are against them, the condition of the negroes as a mass being better and the relations between them and the white citizens better in the States where qualified suffrage prevails than in those where it does not. Political campaigns are not the pandemoniums they once were, and the nights or not the infernos they once were from the yelling and howling of negro mobs, filled with mean whiskey by mean white men who profited by leading and fooling them. Honest, candid Republicans who do not live by politics and are not personally interested in party success are glad that there is qualified suffrage, which keeps the ignorant negro out of politics, and that is why so many of them in this State voted with the Democrats for the qualified suffrage amendment. It is better for the negro, it is better for the white man, and no person who knows anything about the South will assert that it is not better governed now than it was when the negro was more of a factor in politics than he is now. If the South as a whole is better governed then the negroes must share the benefit of that improvement with the white people and he becomes a gainer by the laws that serve as a check on the power of the ignorant mob. Then why should any one who desires the welfare of the South, of her white people and her black people, find fault with the laws that promote that welfare?

The same Senators, including Pritchard and McComas, who criticise and denounce qualified negro suffrage in the South are supporting a bill for the government of the Philippines which amounts to practical and absolute disfrancisement for at least six out of eight of the inhabitants of those islands. The bill now under discussion contains the suffrage scheme devised by the Taft commission which provides that as a qualification for suffrage the voter must be able to read and write in the English or Spanish language, or own and pay taxes on $250 worth of property or pay annually $15 in taxes. As the large majority of the Filipinos cannot and probably never will, at least not within this generation, be able to read and write in the English or Spanish language, and as the same may be said about their owning $250 worth of property, the $15 tax qualification applies practically to them.

It is thirty-five years since the negroes of the South have been enfranchised; they have had good opportunities to learn to read and write, and to accumulate property, and yet how many there are who cannot read and write their own language, and how comparatively few there who own $250 worth of property. A good many have accumulated property, some enough to make them comfortably independent, but not one in ten owns $250 worth. If with all their opportunities for employment at wages which would enable them to save something every year, with the disposition the white people show to help the thrifty, industrious negro who tries to help himself, with the low prices of land and the opportunities to farm for themselves, so few of them have become owners of this amount of property, how long, with his indolent habits and training, his few opportunities for steady employment and beggarly pay when he is employed, would it take the average Filipino, even of the working kind, to accumulate that much property? He couldn't do it in a life time, so that as far as the property qualification goes it practically excludes and disfranchises the mass of the Filipinos. The $15 tax requisite practically means a $15 poll tax, which would disfranchise all who were not disfranchised by one of the other provisions.

This is about seven times as much as the poll tax qualification in the Southern States is, where the amount is so small that any one could earn in a few days enough to pay it if he desired to and cared enough about his vote to pay his poll tax. While the $15 requisite in the Philippines amounts to virtual disfranchisement of the mass of people who would be subject to it, it is folly to talk of the poll tax in the South disfranchising any man who does not prefer disfranchisement to paying it, and does not voluntarily disfranchise himself. There is no provision in the suffrage laws of the Southern States that the average negro who desires cannot comply with within a short time if he wishes to, while it is practically impossible for the mass of the Filipinos to meet the Taft requirements, and yet the suffrage laws of the South were by framed Democrats, while the suffrage laws ot the Philippines were formed by men representing a party whose leaders so inconsistently criticise and condemn those Democratic suffrage laws, which are liberality itself compared with their scheme of disfranchisement.

IF A POLICY, WHY NOT AVOW IT?

The Republicans in Congress and out of it who speak for the administration and defend the course pursued in the Philippines talk about the policy of the administration, but neither it nor they have any policy; if they have they are afraid to proclaim it. They are simply floundering, hoping that something may happen that they can convert into a pretext for getting out of a very entangling predicament.

The Republican party is divided on the Philippine question, some of its best and most distinguished leaders being radically opposed to the course pursued. The majority of the American people are opposed to it, and the only reason why they give it countenance is because our army is there and they feel that it must be sustained while it is there.

If the defenders of the administration and of the course that has been pursued would be frank and proclaim what they propose to do, so that the people might fully understand them and their purposes, the issue would be clear and the people could pass upon that, but they will not do that, and will not do anything but indulge in double dealing phrases or in phrases with no meaning at all, and play politics by misrepresenting the position of the opponents of brutality, blood, carnage and devastation, by charging them with being the enemies of the soldiers in the Philippines. That's politics—the meanest kind of politics—but that's the kind the Republican supporters of the administration are now playing in the discussion of this question.

All this professed love and admiration for the soldiers, and the fermented indignation at the alleged attacks on the army, is simply to divert attention from the real issues and fool the people into indorsing the infamy they call a policy to vindicate the army which is carrying out that policy, for which it is in no way responsible.

MR. THOMPSON'S PARTY.

Representative Thompson of Alabama, is now in that State with the half dozen or so of Republican Congressmen whom he invited to visit the South and study the race problem or negro question from short range. They are his guests while on this trip and he seems not only to be giving them an opportunity to make all the observations they want to, but is also giving them a good time if we may judge from the layout of the first days.

The first day after visiting Prof. Booker T. Washington's college at Tuskegee, Mr. Thompson took them to his plantation where he has a residence, had about a thousand people there, white and black, to meet them, gave a big barbecue, at which several of the visiting Congressmen made speeches. After that there was a reception at night at his home.

Judging from the indications so far these gentlemen will not only have an opportunity to enjoy themselves, but also to acquire some valuable information if they be intent upon that, and make their observations from the standpoint of the man and the citizen, willing and anxious to learn for the benefit of others, and not of the politician, who looks only for what he might use for his political schemes.

No intelligent, impartial person can visit the South, remain long enough to comprehend the situation, and leave it without saying to the millions in the North, "Keep your hands off and let the Southern people settle this question for themselves, as they are doing; they understand it better than you do." This party of Republican Congressmen may not say that when they get back to Washington, but if they forget that they are politicians and feel and talk like disinterested men and citizens, that's what they must say.

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Tsin-Nin-Pin, who is leading a revolt in the province of Chi-Li, China, inaugurated hostilities by murdering his wives and daughters. The reason he gave for killing them was that he wanted to save them punishment in case his revolt failed. A remarkable demonstration of affectionate solicitude. But he might have waited to see how the thing was likely to pan out, before he resorted to that method of saving them from punishment.

Russian police are hustlers. Not long ago a criminal was wanted and six pictures of him taken in different positions were sent to the chiefs of the departments. In a few days one of them wrote that he had captured five of the fellows and had his sleuths after the sixth. In this country they feel that they are doing pretty well when they get one fellow for six instead of six for one.

CURRENT COMMENT.

— It is thrown up to the strenuous president that he might have made a brilliant play had he advised congress to suspend the tariff on meat.—*Mobile Register, Dem.*

— "I want opposition for the betterment of the government," says President Palma, of Cuba, "but not personal or prejudiced opposition. I shall be ready and willing to heed criticism." These sound like the utterances of a man who has some knowledge of statesmanship. Our Cuban friends have apparently made no mistake in the man whom they have chosen for their first Chief Executive.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

— Some one comes forth to declare that the destruction of St. Pierre was a judgment upon the people like the overwhelming of Sodom and Gomorrah, the city being composed of a particularly evil lot of people. But how will this fellow explain the fact that the only survivor of the disaster was a condemned murderer in his dungeon and that all the good people who gathered in the Cathedral to pray lost their lives?—*Charleston Post, Ind.*

— The Cincinnati Commercial Tribune is agitating again "the question of what to do with our ex-President." What is the matter with letting them root for themselves? Two hundred thousand dollars, or thereabout, is a pretty good start in business for any really capable retired statesman. If he will come to South Carolina and raise grass and go into the dairy or cattle business, he can readily double his money in two or three years. The Charleston Exposition has proved that to a demonstration.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— Bertha—What is all this "New Thought" religion? Billy—Oh! Just croquettes made out of the Old Thought.—*Puck.*

— Blobbs—The colonel is utterly fearless of public opinion. Slobbs—That's right. I once heard him admit before a crowd of people that he didn't like grand opera.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— "Scurious thing," said Tanks. "A paradox, I believe, they call it." "What's that?" "When a fellow gets fat forward it makes him lean backward."—*Indianapolis News.*

— The Old Conundrum: Miss Riverside Dryve—She refuses to marry him unless he resigns from Tammany Hall. He—Well, which will it be—"the lady or the tiger?"—*Judge.*

— Recommended: Member of Investigating Committee—Mr. Thinkard, what, in your opinion, is the best device for making a furnace consume its own smoke? Expert—A $500 fine.—*Chicago Tribune.*

— "Well, the statements they make against you aren't true," said the councilman's wife. "Why don't you deny them?" "I'm afraid it will incite them to dig up some other libellous statements that are true."

— Sufferer—I can't stand it any longer; I'm going to the dentist's this instant and have this tooth out. Scientist—Nonsense! Your tooth doesn't ache; it's only your imagination. Sufferer—Then I'll have him pull out my imagination.—*Boston Transcript.*

— His Celebration.—He watched his $8,000 house go up in flames. "This," he exclaimed, "is what I call a really satisfactory housewarming." For it so happened that he had succeeded in putting $10,000 of insurance on it only two days before.—*Chicago Post.*

— Her Idea of It—"Mrs. Geezer intends to have a number of literary evenings," said Mrs. Tenspot to Mrs. Hojack. "What is her idea of literary evenings?" "Well, she's to give a Ben-Hur progressive euchre, followed by a Longfellow ping-pong."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— "Maria," he said, "I don't think I'd care to be President of the United States—it's a hard job, and subject to so much criticism." "You're right, John," was the reply. "It's lots better that you should run for the Legislature, where they won't pay any more attention to you than we do at home."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

— All Explained.—Mrs. Twickenham (to Mrs. Slimson)—"Of late we have been having our meals sent in by various caterers." Willie Slimson (to his mother)—"Mamma, is that what you meant when you said that Mrs. Twickenham didn't know where the next meal was coming from?"—*Town and Country.*

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

Wilmington District—Second Round.

Clinton, Kendall, May 17-28
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Onslow *Messenger*: We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. J. G. Barbee, of Richlands, which occurred last Tuesday, paraysis being the cause of his death.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Mrs. Margaret Young, of Davidson county, died Monday night in Boone township of old age. She was 89 years old and has over 300 lineal descendants. She has 15 grandchildren and up to within the past year has enjoyed excellent health.

— Duplin *Journal*: On Sunday at Mt. Olive, a white man by the name of William Millard became involved in a difficulty with a negro. The negro drew a pistol and shot five times at Millard, and it is reported every ball took effect. Millard lies in a critical condition and the negro took to his heels.

— Clinton *Democrat*: The strawberry crop was cut considerably short by the excessively dry weather, and it is probable that not more than two-thirds of an average crop was gathered, though the growers may have realized about as much from the crop, if not more, than they would have if the crop had been a full one throughout the berry section.

— Greensboro *Telegram*: The McClamroch Mantel Company has been awarded the contract for the tiling in the Harrison Block, a magnificent new office building in Augusta, Ga. —— At the revenue office here recently the seizure of several illicit distilleries has been reported. One very large one was seized in Durham county, three were seized in Iredell, some in Johnson and some in Cumberland. Several registered distilleries have also been seized for irregularities.

— Asheville dispatch in Raleigh *News and Observer*: One million and a half dollars are to be spent by the Toxaway Company in improvements to the Sapphire section. A hotel with 300 rooms, a lake covering 2,700 acres and having a circumference of fifteen miles, are among the improvements. The railroad will be extended to the hotel, ten miles from Toxaway. J. R. Oates, of Asheville, has the contract for building the railroad and excavating for the lake. He will put one thousand men on the work within twenty days. It will take that force one year to complete the work. The present plan is to have all finished by June, 1903, when the hotel will open.

— Rockingham *Anglo-Saxon*: Mr. John Hammond died at the home of his son, Mr. Berry Hammond, in Lower Wolf Pit, Wednesday morning of last week. The deceased was 81 years old and was a veteran of two wars, having served in the war with Mexico and in the civil war. He was a native of Robeson county, and came to this county after the war. —— Mr. W. P. Covington, of Upper Wolf Pit, lost his barn and stables by fire last Saturday. The fire occurred about 2 o'clock in the morning, and as the barn was some distance from the house it was not discovered until some one who saw it over at Steele's Mill went over and gave the alarm, when it was too late to save anything. The property lost was barn, stables, four mules, wagons, mower, tools, feed, etc. It is thought that the fire was of incendiary origin. The total loss is about $1,000, with only $450 insurance. —— Mr. W. A. Ragsdale, of Baltimore, has been in Rockingham for the past several days in the interest of establishing a cotton seed delinting plant. He is the patentee of a machine which takes every particle of lint from cotton seed, leaving only the smooth black seed. He has several of our Rockingham people interested in his enterprise and has his machinery shipped here, and it is now being placed in position in the textile building at Midway. The machinery will be put to work and if it works satisfactorily a company will probably be organized to permanently establish and operate the plant.

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Many cows are not worth keeping. There is no surplus of neat cattle in the land, but no desirable young animal should be sacrificed that promises usefulness in the near future even though for a few months it is kept at a disadvantage, says J. W. Yale of Connecticut. To profitably fatten a lean animal or any other kind on purchased feed is an uphill business, yet the manure is valuable and might pay for the care. As for the best way to fatten much depends on the animal, as to age, breed, etc. I never am troubled to sell my Devons at a good price, which, according to figures, ranges from $25 to $48, and good beef too. I should consider it impossible to make good meat from some cows I have seen. Many unprofitable cows could be put to raising calves without any grain. This would continue their usefulness and at the same time raise cattle for future use.

A good way to feed for beef is where roughage is plenty go a little slow at first, increasing grain later on. Any kind of roots is valuable. If their analyses are not high, still their mechanical effects are good, assisting in the digestion, counteracting the heating effects of grain and giving a good relish for food. I would not use cornmeal alone. Cobmeal might do, but provender would be better. A good ration would be half cornmeal and half good wheat bran, and toward the finish add a small quantity of cottonseed meal, according to the age and condition of the creature feeding.

A Champion Shorthorn.

The Shorthorn bull Duke of Cornwall was first and champion at the Royal Cornwall show, 1901. He was bred by W. J. Hosken, Loggan's Mill, Hoyle, Cornwall, and is the property of Hacienda El Parral, Chile.



DUKE OF CORNWALL.

How to Feed Cottonseed Meal.

It is not wise to feed cottonseed meal excessively to fattening cattle, says Professor W. A. Henry in Breeder's Gazette. This is done in the south, where the meal is comparatively cheap and corn relatively high. In some of the feeding establishments at the south fattening steers are allowed ten or twelve pounds of cottonseed meal daily as their sole grain feed and have cottonseed hulls for roughage. The steers on this allowance fatten rapidly, but after eight or ten weeks feeding they are liable to become blind from the excessive use of this single rich feeding stuff. It is most unfortunate for one to feed in this manner. Far better is it to mix cottonseed meal and cornmeal together than to feed either one separately.

Concerning Sorghum.

We have never known of a case of either first or second growth sorghum or Kaffir corn injuring cattle after being cut up and thoroughly dried, says H. M. Cottrell of the Kansas experiment station. We have never known of a case of either first or second growth sorghum or Kaffir corn injuring hogs fed either green or dry in any stage of maturity. Sorghum hay is not nearly so good a hog feed as either alfalfa or clover, but where neither of these is available it will pay to feed the sorghum.

THE TEXAS FEVER.

Conditions That Produce It and How to Make Cattle Immune.

Dr. Cary of the Alabama station, in the summary of bulletin No. 116 upon Texas fever, says:

An animal sick with Texas fever cannot infest or transmit the disease to healthy cattle. The only known means by which the micro parasite that causes Texas fever can be transmitted from diseased cattle to healthy ones is through two generations of the southern cattle tick.

Tick free cattle never have Texas fever as long as they are tick free. Cattle with Texas fever have or have had ticks upon them. All cattle must acquire immunity after birth by having one or more attacks of Texas fever. Immunity to Texas fever is not inherited. Southern bred cattle have Texas fever when very young (sucking calves) and are usually but slightly affected by it. The older the animal the more severe the fever; the older the animal the greater the mortality.

All cattle north of the government quarantine line are susceptible to Texas fever, as are all southern bred cattle raised on tick free farms and tick free town lots. Immune cattle will lose their immunity if kept free of ticks for two or more years. In hot weather Texas fever is usually more acute and fatal than in cool seasons. The best time to bring northern bred or foreign bred cattle into Alabama is between Nov. 1 and March 1. It is safer to bring young sucking calves into Alabama for acclimation than cattle over a year old.

Sucking calves (two to four months old) can be shipped into the south by express, fed milk from a southern bred and immune cow and be made immune by natural tick inoculations, with little danger of loss.

One or two inoculations with defibrinated blood from an immune animal will produce a relatively safe immunity to Texas fever. The best age for inoculating with defibrinated blood is a year or less. The best time is between Oct. 30 and March 1.

From 50 to 90 per cent of northern bred or susceptible cattle die with Texas fever when turned into tick infested pastures. Less than 10 per cent are lost when made immune by the defibrinated blood inoculation method.

Odors That Permeate Foodstuffs.

A fish dealer in one of the most stylish parts of New York was deeply hurt and badly worried one day by the complaint of one of his big customers that a fine salmon which he had sent to the house for a big dinner had proved to be entirely uneatable when served owing to a most penetrating taste of creosote that pervaded it. The fish dealer realized, although the charge was not made directly, that he was more than suspected of having sold a stale fish that had been washed or brushed with an antiseptic preparation to hide its condition. He knew that the salmon had been perfectly fresh when he sold it, and for days he puzzled in vain over the problem. But suddenly he remembered that on the day the fish was sent out a tank wagon full of creosote had stopped before his place and that his cart, into which the fish was being placed, was directly alongside of the powerful stuff. That appears to have been enough to permeate the delicate flesh of the fish.—New York Press.

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Jamestown Man Would Make Use of the Sound Waves.

Captain F. P. Cobham of Jamestown, N. Y., announces an important invention of his own, which, he claims, has been thoroughly tested, that promises to do away with signal towers and wires for signaling trains along railways. The invention makes use of the sound waves as discovered by Marconi.

The signal is a small and inexpensive instrument carried in the cab of the locomotive. The instrument has a lever by which the engineer can adjust his locomotive to the tracks on which he is traveling. If it is a one track road, all instruments are adjusted alike; if there are two or more tracks, the engineer adjusts his machine to the different tracks by moving a lever.

When the instrument is properly adjusted, Captain Cobham claims it will give notice of any other locomotive on the same track which approaches within 2,000 feet of it by the ringing of a bell, and it will also indicate in which direction the engines are running or whether one of them is standing still.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted

BAGGING—			
2 lb Jute	6¾	@	7
Standard		@	7¼
Burlaps	6	@	6¾
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ lb	12½	@	14
Sides ℔ lb	10	@	10½
Shoulders ℔ lb	9	@	9½
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ lb	9 60	@	9 75
Shoulders ℔ lb	9	@	9¼
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 35	@	1 35
Second-hand machine	1 35	@	1 35
New New York, each		@	1 35
New City, each		@	1 35
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ lb	25	@	32½
Northern	22	@	28
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks	75	@	77½
Virginia Meal		@	77½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle		@	1 12½
CANDLES—℔ lb—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
COFFEE—℔ lb—			
Laguyra	11	@	12½
Rio	7	@	10
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5½
Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 lbs		@	0
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl.	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl.	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 75	@	4 25
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	7 50	@	8 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ lb	6	@	10
" Extra	4 00	@	5 00
FLOUR—℔ lb—			
Low grade	3 50	@	3 75
Choice	3 75	@	4 00
Straight	4 25	@	4 50
First Patent		@	5 00
GLUE—℔ lb	8	@	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bgs—White	82½	@	85
Mixed Corn		@	82½
Oats, from store (mixed)	57½	@	60
Oats, Rust Proof	70	@	75
Cow Peas	1 10	@	1 15
HIDES—℔ lb—			
Green salted	4	@	5
Dry flint	10	@	11
Dry salt	9	@	10
HAY ℔ 100 lbs			
No 1 Timothy	95	@	1 00
Rice Straw	50	@	60
N. C. Crop	75	@	80
HOOP IRON, ℔ lb	2½	@	3
CHEESE—℔ lb—			
Northern Factory	12½	@	14
Dairy Cream	12	@	13½
Half cream	10	@	12½
LARD, ℔ lb—			
Northern	8½	@	12½
North Carolina	10	@	12½
LIME, ℔ barrel	1 10	@	1 25
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess		@	18 50
Rump		@	18 50
Prime		@	17 50
ROPE, ℔ lb	11	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack, Alum		@	1 25
Liverpool		@	90
American		@	90
On 001 ℔ bags	45	@	48
SUGAR, ℔ lb—Standard Gran'd		@	5 00
Standard A		@	4⅞
White Extra C	4½	@	4⅝
Extra C, Golden		@	4½
C Yellow		@	4
LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES ℔ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	25
Barbadoes, in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads	29	@	31
Porto Rico, in barrels	29	@	33
Sugar House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	17	@	27
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis	2 40	@	2 50
SOAP, ℔ lb—Northern	3½	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	8 00	@	9 00
Common mill	4 00	@	5 00
Fair mill	5 00	@	6 50
Prime mill	6 50	@	7 50
Extra mill	8 00	@	8 50
SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed			
℔ M 6x24 heart	6 25	@	7 00
" Sap	5 50	@	6 00
5x20 Heart	3 50	@	4 00
" Sap	2 50	@	3 00
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon Northern	1 00	@	1 10

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, May 22.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market opened dull at 44½c per gallon. Sales of 25 casks at 1:40 P. M. at 44c.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.10 per barrel for strained and $1.15 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.35 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip, and $2.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine quiet at 32½@32c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.25; crude turpentine quiet at $1.10 2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	79
Rosin	214
Tar	79
Crude turpentine	111

Receipts same day last year—40 casks spirits turpentine, 101 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 9¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6⅝	cts. ℔ lb
Good ordinary	8⅛	" "
Low middling	8⅞	" "
Middling	9¼	" "
Good middling	9 5-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 7⅝c for middling.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, 15.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75@80c.

CORN—Firm: 76@80c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@14c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 27@35c; springs, 20@25c.

TURKEYS—Dressed, firm at 15@16c; live, 10@11c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 70@75c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Money on call was steady at 3@4 per cent., closing, bid and asked, 2¾@3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487 for demand and at 484⅞ for sixty days. The posted rates were 485½ and 488. Commercial bills 483¾@484¾. Bar silver 51¾. Mexican dollars 41½. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds firm. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 108⅞; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108⅞; U. S. 3's, registered, 107¼; do. coupon, 107¼. U. S. 4's, new registered, 136½; do. coupon 136½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110⅞; do. coupon, 110⅞; U. S. 5's registered, 105½; do. coupon, 105½; Southern Railway, 5's, 122½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 106⅞; Chesapeake & Ohio 46½; Manhattan L 132½; New York Central 156½; Reading 62⅞; do. 1st preferred 83; do. 2nd preferred 68½; St. Paul 170⅝; do. pref'd, 189; Southern Railway 37; do. pref'd 95; Amalgamated Copper 70¾; Am'n Tobacco —; People's Gas 102½; Sugar 129½; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63½; U. S. Leather 13½; do. pref'd, 84; Western Union 91; U. S. Steel 40½; do. preferred 90½; Mexican National —; American Locomotive —; do. preferred —; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 71½; do. preferred, 132; Standard Oil 625@627.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 25¾@26; do. preferred, 45¾@46; do. 4s—no sale.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Rosin dull. Spirits turpentine dull.

CHARLESTON, May 22.—Holiday, no markets.

SAVANNAH, May 22.—Spirits turpentine firm at 45@45½c; receipts 2,230 casks; sales 1,022 casks; exports 482 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,099 barrels; sales 2,411 barrels; exports 2,300 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 20; E, $1 25; F, $1 30; G, $1 35; H, $1 55; I, $1 95; K $2 45; M, $2 85; N, $3 25; W G, $3 55; W W, $3 65.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, May 22.—The cotton market opened steady, with prices one to five points higher, and for a time displayed inherent strength on active demand from shorts and moderate buying. The commission house contingent, however, took advantage of this further improvement in prices to secure profits on cotton which had been carried through the previous bulge and subsequent break, fearing to risk possible additional advances later. The receipts were again very light in all directions, the cables reflected a firm situation abroad and spot demand was fairly active in the South. On the other hand, weather and crop reports were almost perfect, while absence of speculation and a three day adjournment of Liverpool (Whitsuntide) naturally checked active support by professional bulls. Later in the morning the first hour rise was wiped out and a slight net loss recorded. For the balance of the day the market dragged slowly lower and speculation dwindled to a scattering professional interchange of accounts. Wall street bear interests seemed to be selling freely throughout the day, presumably on the fine crop reports and the absence of commission house support. The official estimates for tomorrow's receipts pointed to a continued light movement and bullish week-end statements. In the last half hour the market sold down to 8.89 for July and 8.59 for August under a scramble of room longs to sell. The close was steady with prices net six to fifteen points lower. Total sales were estimated at 150,000 bales, most of which was present crop cotton.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Cotton quiet at 9½c; net receipts 441 bales; gross receipts 441 bales; stock 187,127 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 1-16c lower; middling uplands 9½c; middling gulf 9¾c; sales 118 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady: May 9.15, June 9.06, July 8.90, August 8.59, September 8.07, October 7.95, November 7.88, December 7.86, January 7.87, February 7.88.

Total to-day—Net receipts 2,931 bales; exports to France 727 bales; exports to the Continent 2,860 bales; stock 464,107 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 16,175 bales; exports to Great Britain 17,079 bales; exports to France 1,514 bales; exports to the Continent 25,799 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,348,081 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,937,864 bales; exports to France 689,563 bales; exports to the Continent 2,500,130 bales.

May 22—Galveston, nominal at 9 3-16, net receipts 481 bales; Norfolk, nominal at 9⅜c, net receipts 182 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9⅝c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 9 9-16c, net receipts 34 bales; Wilmington, dull at 9¼c, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, steady at 9⅝c, net receipts 27 bales; Savannah, quiet at 9 3-16, net receipts 265 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9⅜c, net receipts 1,501 bales; Mobile steady at 8⅞c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, firm at 9⅛c, net receipts 129 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9⅜, net receipts 1 bale; Charleston, holiday.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, May 22.—Flour was neglected and generally weak at yesterday's decline. Rye flour quiet; fair to good $3 15@3 40. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 88c. Affected by favorable weather conditions in the Southwest, lower cables and liquidation wheat was weak and heavy all day, with the under current bearish in spite of a good export trade. Numerous stop-loss orders were reported, increasing the heaviness until the last few minutes, when covering brought a rally and closed the market steady at ⅛c net loss. Sales included: May closed 80; July closed 80c; September 78⅛c; December 79⅛c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 70½c. Options opened easier, but immediately rallied and were steady to firm all day on the small movement, closing quiet but steady at a partial ⅛c net decline. Sales included: May closed 70c; July closed 67½c; September 65⅛c; December —c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2 46c. Options ruled steady most of the time on a demand from May shorts, but finally eased back with other markets. Lard steady; Western steam $10 60; refined steady; continent $10 85; South American $11 65; compound 8¾@9c. Pork firm. Tallow easy. Butter firm; creamery 19½@22c; State dairy 18½@21c. Eggs firmer; State and Pennsylvania 17½@18; Southern 14@15c. Potatoes quiet; State, fair to prime, sack, $1 75; Southern prime, per barrel, $5 00@5 75; Jersey sweets per barrel, $2 50@5 00. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 5⅛c; mild dull; Cordova 8@11½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 2⅞c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 7-16c. Rice steady. Cheese steady; State full cream, small colored, choice 11½c; white, 11¼c. Cabbage steady; Florida, barrel crate $1 10@1 30. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Peanuts were firm; fancy hand-picked 4¼c; other domestic 3@4¼c. Cotton seed oil quiet and fairly steady, quotations closing: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills 37½@38½; prime summer yellow 45½@46c; off summer yellow 45@45½c; prime white 48½c; prime winter yellow 49@50c; prime meal $28 50@29 50, nominal.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Wheat worked down to a new level to-day, but there was not enough activity in any of the markets to make the lower prices attractive and, although wheat was a general depressing influence, corn steadied prices. July closed ½c lower; July corn ½c lower and July oats ½@¼c higher. Provisions closed 2½@5 to 5@5½c higher.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 3 spring 72@74½c; No. 2 red 81c. Corn No. 2 —; No. 2 yellow —c. Oats—No. 2 42½c; No. 2 white 44½@45½c; No. 3 white 43⅝@44⅝c. Rye—No. 2 61c. Mess pork, per barrel, $17 05@17 10. Lard, per 100 lbs., quoted at $10 17½@10 20. Short rib sides, loose, $9 65@9 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $8 25. Short clear sides, boxed, $10 20@10 30. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, 1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 May 74, 74, 73⅜, 73⅜c; July 74@74⅛, 74⅛, 73⅜, 74c; September 72⅞@73⅛, 73⅛, 72⅜, 73c; December 74½@74⅝, 74⅜, 74, 74⅛c. Corn—No. 2, May 61⅛, 61⅛, 61⅛, 61⅛@61⅜c; July 62@62⅛, 62¼, 61⅞, 62@62½c; September 60@60⅛, 60⅛, 60, 60⅛c. Oats—May 42⅛, 43⅛, 42, 43⅛c; July, old, 35@35⅛, 35⅛, 35, 35⅛@35⅛c; July, new, 37@37⅛, 37⅛, 36⅞, 37⅛c; September, old, 39@29⅛, 29⅛, 28⅞, 29⅛c; September, new, 30⅛@30⅜, 30⅛, 30⅛, 30⅜c. Mess pork, per bbl—July $17 10, 17 25, 17 02½, 17 12½; September $17 17½, 17 32½, 17 12½, 17 25. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $10 12½, 10 20, 10 12½, 10 20; September $10 15, 10 22½, 10 15, 10 22½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $9 60, 9 65, 9 57½, 9 62½@9 65; September $9 60, 9 67½, 9 57½, 9 65.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, May 22.—Cotton: Spot moderate demand, prices 3-32d higher; American middling fair 5 17-32d; good middling 5¼d; middling 5⅛d; low middling 5 1-32d; good ordinary 4 29-32d; ordinary 4 21-32d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,600 bales American. Receipts 100 bales, all American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet; American middling (g o c) May 4 61-64@4 62-64d buyer; May and June 4 60-64@4 61-64d seller; June and July 4 59-64@4 60-64d buyer; July and August 4 58-64@4 59-64d value; August and September 4 53-64d seller; September and October 4 37-64@4 38-64d seller; October and November 4 29-64d buyer; November and December 4 26-64@4 27-64d buyer; December and January 4 25-64@4 26-64d buyer; January and February 4 25-64d seller.

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Steamer Highlander, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, T D Love.

Clyde steamship Geo W Clyde, Chichester, Georgetown, H G Smallbones.

Schr Dora Allison, 323 tons, Rose, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Schr Morris and Cliff, 125 tons, Johnston, Rockland, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., May 23.

SCHOONERS.

Dora Allison, 323 tons, Rose, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Morris and Cliff, 125 tons, Johnston, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Albert T Stearns, 482 tons, Bunker, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Fannie Reiche, 540 tons, Buckaloo, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Emelie E Birdsall, 467 tons, Wilbert, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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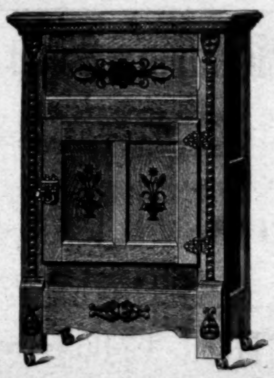
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Statement of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

108 Princess Street, Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business April 30th, 1902, condensed from report to Corporation Commission.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$851,955 22	Capital	$25,000.00
Cash on hand and in banks	60,523 45	Deposits	838,147 81
Real estate	1,900.00	Profits—less expenses and taxes paid	45,900 97
Furniture and Fixtures	1 00	Depositors' interest reserve, accrued interest due to depositors	5,331 89
Safety Deposit Boxes	1 00		
	$914,380 67		$914,380 67

J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
C. E. TAYLOR, Jr., Cashier.

Comparative Statement of Deposits.

April 30, 1894, 59,598; April 30, 1895, 168,204; April 30, 1896, 240,878.46; April 30, 1897, 305,129.22; April 30, 1898, 422,057.71; April 20, 1899, 550,299.29; April 30, 1900, 671,477.38, April 30, 1901, 704,386 11; April 30, 1902, 838,147.81. my 13 15



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DEMOCRATIC PLAN OF ORGANIZATION.

1. The unit of county organization shall be the voting precincts. In each precinct there shall be an executive committee, to consist of five active Democrats, who shall be elected by the Democratic voters at the several precincts in the meeting first called by the county executive committee. And said committee so elected shall elect one of its members as chairman, who shall preside at all committee meetings.

2. The chairmen of the several precinct committees shall compose the county executive committee, which shall meet at the same time and place as the county convention first held in each election year, and elect a chairman of said county committee who need not be a member of the committee, and he shall preside at all meetings of said committee, and shall hold his place until his successor shall be elected. A majority of said precinct chairmen, in person, or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum. The county committee shall likewise appoint a central committee of five, who shall act in its stead when the county committee is not in session.

3. In case there shall be a failure on the part of any precinct to elect its executive committee for a period of thirty days, the county executive committee shall appoint said committee from the Democratic voters of said precinct.

4. The members of the precinct committee shall elect to any vacancy occurring in said committee.

5. The county executive committee shall call all necessary conventions by giving at least ten days' notice by public advertisement in three public places in each precinct, at the court house door, and any Democratic newspapers that may be published in said county, requesting all Democrats of the county to meet in their respective precincts on a common day therein stated, which said day shall not be less than three days before the meeting of the county conventions. for the purpose of electing their delegates to the county conventions. Thereupon the meeting so held shall elect their delegates to represent the precincts in the county convention from the voters of the respective voting precincts, which delegates, or such of them as shall attend, shall vote the full Democratic strength of their respective voting precincts on all questions that may come before said county conventions. In case no meeting shall be held in any precinct in pursuance of said call, or no election shall be made, the precinct executive committee shall appoint such delegates.

PRIMARIES.

6. At every precinct meeting there shall (before the delegates to the county convention are elected) be a vote taken for the different candidates for office, whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote in the county convention of their respective districts in accordance with this vote; that is to say, each candidate shall receive in the county convention that proportion of the vote to which the precinct may be entitled which he received in the precinct meeting. The chairman and secretary of the precinct meeting shall certify to the county convention the vote received by each candidate at the precinct meeting.

7. Each precinct shall be entitled to cast in the county convention one vote for every twenty-five Democratic votes, and one vote for fractions of thirteen Democratic votes cast by the township at the last preceding gubernatorial election. Provided, that every voting precinct shall be entitled to cast one vote, and each precinct may send as many delegates as it may see fit.

8. The chairmen of the precinct committees shall preside at all precinct meetings. In their absence any other member of said committees may preside.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

1. The several county conventions shall be entitled to elect to their senatorial, judicial and congressional conventions one delegate and one alternate for every fifty Democratic votes, and one delegate for fractions of over twenty-five Democratic votes cast at the last preceding gubernatorial election in their respective counties; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to a seat in said conventions: Provided, further, That in all county conventions in which delegates shall be selected to attend any State, congressional, judicial or other convention, a vote shall be taken in accordance with the plan of organization as to the candidates whose names may be presented to such county convention. The delegates shall be selected from the friends and supporters of each candidate voted for, in proportion to the number of votes he shall receive in such county convention and no other instruction shall be given: Provided further, That when only one candidate is presented and voted for at each county convention it shall be lawful to instruct for such candidate.

2. At every county convention (before delegates to State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other conventions are chosen) there shall be a vote taken for the different candidates for office whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote their respective counties in accordance with this vote, that is to say each candidate shall receive in the State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other convention the proportion of the vote to which the county may be entitled which he received in the county convention. The chairman and secretary of the county convention shall certify to each convention the vote received by each candidate given: Provided, That where only one candidate is presented it shall be lawful to instruct for him. At all State and district conventions the delegates from the different counties may disregard the vote of their respective counties as to any candidate: Provided, That a two-thirds majority of all his votes from the county consent.

3. The chairman, or in his absence any member of the county, senatorial, judicial and congressional convention shall call to order their respective conventions and hold chairmanship thereof until the convention shall elect its chairman.

4. The executive committees of the senatorial, congressional and judicial districts, respectively, shall, at the call of their respective chairmen, meet at some time and place in their respective districts, and the chairmen of said respective committees shall immediately notify the chairmen of the different county executive committees of the said appointment and the said county executive committee shall forthwith call conventions of their respective counties in conformity to said notice to send delegates to said respective district conventions.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

The State convention shall be composed of delegates appointed by the several county conventions. Each county shall be entitled to elect one delegate and one alternate for every one hundred and fifty Democratic votes and one delegate for fractions over seventy-five Democratic votes cast therein at the last preceding gubernatorial election; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entiled to seats in said convention: Provided, That every county shall have at least one vote in the convention.

Resolution passed at meeting of executive committee, November 30, 1897:

"*Resolved*, That in accordance with the resolution hereinbefore adopted, all white electors who intend to vote with us in the next election, and who desire the re-establishment of Anglo-Saxon supremacy and honest government in North Carolina are cordially invited to participate in all our primaries and conventions."

GENERAL RULES.

1. At all conventions the delegates shall be selected as near as may be from the friends and supporters of the candidates voted for.

2. Such delegates—or alternates of absent delegates—as may be present at any Democratic convention shall be allowed to cast the whole vote to which their precinct or county may be entitled.

3. In all conventions provided for by this system, after a vote is cast, there shall be no change in such votes until the final result of the ballot shall be announced by the chairman of said convention.

4. All Democratic executive committees shall have the power to fill any vacancies occurring in their respective bodies.

5. The chairmen of the different county conventions shall certify the list of delegates and alternates of the different district and State conventions, and a certified list of said delegates and alternates to the secretary of the State central committee.

6. It shall be the duty of the county committee and its chairman to furnish such information and make such reports to the chairman of the State committee as he may desire.

F. M. SIMMONS,
Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee.
P. M. PEARSALL, Secretary.

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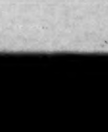
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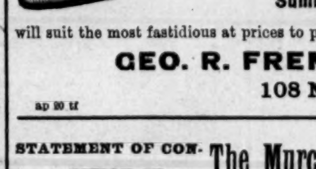
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OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

At close of business, April 30, 1902.
(Began business March 1, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$647,085 52	Capital stock	$200,000 00
U. S. Bonds	207,600 00	Profits less expenses	44,413 47
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,800 00	Circulation	156,950 00
Real Estate for Bank Building	24,197 51	Deposits, Banks	275,437 94
Cash on hand and in banks	250,778 25	Deposits, individual	460,060 77
	$1,136,861 28		$1,136,861 28

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Schedule in Effect April 13.

TRAIN 39. Leaves Wilmington at 3:05 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:30 P. M., Pembroke 5:45 P. M., Maxton 6:15 P. M., Hamlet 7:15 P. M., Charlotte 10:30 P. M.

TRAIN 40. Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:20 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.25 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.22 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2 50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.20 a m
Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7 45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth / Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.33 p m

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m	7.40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 30 a m	11.30 a m	11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m	4.55 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m	5.45 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m	9 30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.55 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 8.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

From train 66 leaving Jacksonville 3.05 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 3.55 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 8.05 a. m.

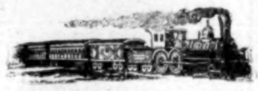
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JAS. M. BARR, 1st Vice Pres't and Gen'l Man.
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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.



To Take Effect Sunday, Oct 21 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	....
....	4 22	Kinston	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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Leave Wilmington—	Leave Ocean View—
10.10 A. M. daily.	8.00 A. M. daily except Sunday.
3.00 P. M. daily.	11.30 A. M. daily.
7.00 P. M. daily	6.00 P. M. daily.

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Schedule in Effect April 14, 1902.

NORTH BOUND.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.05 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.18 A. M., Warsaw 11.15 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.53 P. M., Petersburg 6.46 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.5 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.23 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., †Boston 3. P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.3 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.33 P. M., Weldon 1.37 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M., Petersburg 3.1 A. M., Richmond 3.57 A. M., Washington 7.39 A. M., Baltimore 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.12 A. M., New York 1.43 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.12 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11 25 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 2.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.36 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.25 P. M., Sumter 9.15 P. M., Columbia 10.40 P. M., Denmark 6.14 A. M., Augusta 8.10 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.47 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston 1 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.0 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 7.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.22 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.15 P. M., Warsaw 4.10 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 1 night, New York 9.25 A. M., Philadelphia 12.03 P. M., Baltimore 2.16 P. M., Washington 3.45 P. M., Richmond 7.2 P. M., Petersburg 7.59 P. M., **Norfolk 4.00 P. M., Weldon 9.38 P. M., **Tarboro 7.22 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.45 A. M., Leave Wilson 6.26 A. M., Goldsboro 7.3 A. M., Warsaw 8.24 A. M., Magnolia 8.37 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.56 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY except Sunday 11.30 P. M. No. 50—Leave Charleston 4.20 P. M., Lanes 6.06 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Marion 8.54 P. M., Chadbourn 9.53 P. M., Lake Waccamaw 10.21 P. M.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.40 A. M., Sanford 2.10 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.25 P. M., Columbia 6.55 A. M., Sumter 8.20 P. M., Florence 10.10 A. M., Marion 10.53 A. M., Chadbourn 11.58 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.29 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.05 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.20 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.30 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.22 A. M., Parkton 10.05 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.15 P. M., Halifax 3.29 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.20 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 2.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M. and 5.22 P. M.; arrives Washington 12 30 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.30 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7 30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.55 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 4.00 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.23 P. M., Spring Hope 11.05 A. M., 4.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 5.15 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M., 5.45 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M., 6.20 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw, for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.46 A. M., Dillon 10.58 A. M., Rowland 11.15 A M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M., Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.08 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 12.01 P. M.; arrive Conway 2.20 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.55 P M. arrive Chadbourn 5.20 P M, leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Elrod 8.10 A M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.20 P. M., Manning 6.56 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.40 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.20 A. M., Manning 9.00 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.42 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., †7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A.M., †8.20 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M.; †4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; †5.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 10.05 A M.; arrive Darlington 10.30 A. M., Hartsville 9.55 P. M., Cheraw 11.45 A M., Wadesboro 12.50 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.00 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.25 P. M., Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 10.05 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.30 A. M.

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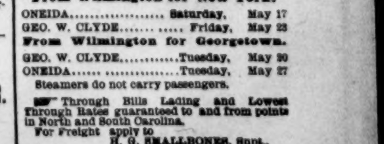
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FRIDAY MORNING, MAY 23.

DISTINGUISHED FRENCHMEN.

Received in Washington as Guests of the Nation—To Take Part in the Rochambeau Exercises.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Surrounded by the members of his cabinet and by officials high in all the branches of the government, President Roosevelt today received as the guests of the nation the distinguished Frenchmen sent by President Loubet to take part in the Rochambeau exercises. The arrival in the city of the brilliantly uniformed French army and navy officers, and their escort through Pennsylvania avenue by a troop of United States cavalrymen, gave picturesque interest to the occasion and to this was added the international significance of an extremely cordial exchange of greetings between the representatives of the two nations. After the President's reception at the White House, the French visitors exchanged calls with members of the cabinet and Lieutenant General Miles and Admiral Dewey. This afternoon they journeyed to Mount Vernon, where Gen. Brugere, of the French army, placed a laurel wreath on the tomb of Washington and Count de Rochambeau planted a tree taken from the battle ground at Yorktown. To-night President Roosevelt had the French party as his guests at dinner at the White House.

BUTCHER SHOPS RAIDED.

Attacked by Angry Mobs in New York City and Boston.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Seven hundred men, women and children attacked the shop of a Norfolk street butcher to-night. The butcher had opened his store for the sale of meat, disregarding the edict of the East side people that no meat should be sold. The butcher refused to obey the mob that ordered him to close and before the police reserves could be summoned his place was a wreck. Four arrests were made.

In Boston.

BOSTON, May 22.—"Kosher meat" disturbances broke out in the West End section of this city to-day. About three hundred Hebrews—men, women and children—assembled in front of a meat store, on Brighton street, and threw eggs and decayed fruit at the building. The windows were smashed and the stock of meats ruined. The police interfered and arrested two women and one man, who were the ringleaders. A customer who was leaving the store with a piece of meat was assaulted and a woman was injured during the stampede of the crowd.

LYNCHING PREVENTED.

Woman Assaulted Failed to Identify the Negro Charged With the Crime.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CARTHAGE, MO., May 22.—Will Jones, the Joshlin negro accused of criminally assaulting Mrs. Parmeter, of Webb City, was taken from Webb City jail this afternoon by the sheriff and a strong force of deputies to prevent his being lynched. He was forced through the crowd, put in a carriage and taken to Carthage, where he was put in the county jail. Mrs. Parmeter called to identify the prisoner. Jones was lined up with two other colored prisoners in the corridor and the woman failed to recognize any one of the three as her assailant. Late this evening two farmers who had seen him positively identified him as the one who ran from the woman as they approached in response to her cries. Two boys who saw him in the immediate vicinity before the crime and who followed him as he ran and shadowed him till arrested, also identified Jones as Mrs. Parmeter's assailant. All danger of mob violence has passed.

Mrs. Parmeter's failure to identify the negro allayed excitement for the time.

KING COTTON MILLS.

Work Resumed—Strike Claimed to Be Practically Ended.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AUGUSTA, GA., May 22.—The King cotton mill, which was closed several weeks ago when its employes struck for an increase in wages, started in part to-day, one hundred and sixty hands out of five hundred reporting for work at 7 o'clock. It is claimed that this showing practically breaks the backbone of the strike in which 10,000 people were involved. The mill will be filled with non-union help from other mills and it is claimed by the owners that it will be running on full time by to-morrow noon. As soon as the King mill is being operated on full time all the mills here and in adjoining towns which put a lockout in force will start up. It is understood that the Carolina operatives have guaranteed sufficient help to operate the King mill fully by Saturday morning. Nothing has been heard from Secretary Hibbert of the National Textile Association.

FIRE AT BUFFALO, N. Y.

Transfer House and About 200 Railroad Cars Burned.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 23.—The transfer house of the Lake Shore and New York Central railroads, just north of the stock yards, caught fire at midnight. Within an hour the house was destroyed and about two hundred cars had been burned.

The fire may reach the car shops and there are hundreds of cars outside the transfer house which are likely to be destroyed. Most of the cars were loaded and the damage will be great.

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HOAR DENOUNCED THE GOVERNMENT

In His Speech Yesterday in the Senate on the Philippines Question.

HE WAS WARMLY APPLAUDED

Urged That the United States Withdraw from the Islands and Permit the People There to Erect Their Own Government Like Cubans.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINTON, May 22.—A notable contribution to the discussion of the Philippine question was made in the Senate to-day by Senator Hoar of Massachusetts. His views on the subject are well understood, but his expression of them to-day was profoundly interesting and even impressive. When the venerable senator began to speak every senator at the capital was in his seat and for the two hours and a half his address consumed he was accorded the most careful attention, not only by his colleagues on the floor, but also by the people in the thronged galleries.

Senator Hoar confined himself closely to his manuscript. He denounced the attitude of the government in the Philippine as one of the most wicked and foolish chapters in American history. He urged that the United States should withdraw from the islands and permit the people there to erect their own government as had been done in Cuba. He sharply arraigned General Funston for the methods he pursued in the capture of Aguinaldo, and intimated strongly that had the Senate been aware of the facts Funston might not have been confirmed in his recent promotion. He hoped that, as the irrevocable steps had not been taken by the United States, better counsels yet would prevail and this government would leave the Philippines. Spontaneous applause swept over the Senate and the galleries at the conclusion of the speech. Such a demonstration is very unusual on the floor of the Senate. So pronounced was it that the presiding officer called the attention of senators to the rule prohibiting any expressions of approval or disapproval.

Senator Hoar maintained that this country is not at war. "You are fighting for sovereignty," he said. "You are fighting for the principle of eternal dominion over that people, and that is the only question in issue in the conflict." When it had been determined to resort to force in the Philippines, he said, the government took upon itself the natural consequences of that decision. The result of the conflict of arms of such a character inevitably was that there would be cruelty on one side and retaliation by cruelty on the other; and the responsibility rested upon those who made the policy.

He said that the share which it was proposed to give the Filipinos in the proposed scheme of government was an admission that many of them were fit for self-government. The United States was fighting to secure a dependency, not a republic, a government of our own making and not a government of the Filipinos' making.

Discussing the testimony taken by the Philippine Committee, Senator Hoar said it has contained some pregnant admissions. What vindicates that which has been done so far is the saying the islands from anarchy, and the material benefit conferred upon the Philippine people. What the fathers of the republic said and our century of glorious history, were appealed to in vain. "Their lessons fell upon the ears of men dazzled by military glory and delirious with the lust of conquest."

He compared the situation in Cuba with that in the Philippines and demanded to know which was the better.

Senator Hoar recited a chapter of the history of this country, which, he said, showed that the present policy of the government was in contradiction of the Monroe doctrine, as it was a contradiction of the Declaration of Independence. He said that if the present way was followed, the Declaration of Independence would be repealed and nothing would be left of the Monroe doctrine except the principle of brutal selfishness. This government had erected a republic in Cuba and a despotism in the Philippines. Six millions of treasure and ten thousand American lives had been sacrificed in that endeavor. In the Philippines the American flag had been made the emblem of sacrilege and of the burning of homes and of the horror of the water torture. He believed that our officers were humane, but in some cases they have carried on our warfare with a mixture of American ingenuity and Castilian cruelties.

"What have your ideals cost you?" inquired Mr. Hoar. "For the Philippine islands you have had to repeal the Declaration of Independence. For Cuba you have had to reaffirm and give it new lustre. For the Philippine islands you have had to convert the Monroe doctrine into a doctrine of mere selfishness. For Cuba you have acted on it and vindicated it. In Cuba you have the eternal gratitude of a free people. In the Philippine islands you have the hatred and sullen submission of a subjugated people. From Cuba you have brought home nothing but glory. From the Philippines you have brought home nothing of glory."

House of Representatives.

The House to-day resumed discussion of the Immigration bill. Little progress was made, almost the entire day being taken up with the amendment offered by Mr. Underwood, of Alabama, which was adopted. The House disagreed to the amendments of the Senate to the Omnibus Public Building bill, and it was sent to conference.

A bill for the relief of the Interstate and West Indian Exposition, at Charleston, S. C., was introduced by Representative Lattimer. The bill carries an appropriation of $150,000 for the purpose of paying off the indebtedness of the exposition company.

The House adopted an amendment to the rules requiring that conference reports should first be printed in the Congressional Record before being presented to the House. The Speaker assigned Mr. Flood, of Virginia, to the Committee on Immigration, and Mr. Rhea, of Virginia, to the Committe on Claims.

BASEBALL.

Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 1; St. Louis, 9.
Boston, 3; Chicago, 4.
Philadelphia, 9; Cleveland, 11.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 6; Philadelphia, 5.
Pittsburg, 6, New York, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 0; Memphis, 3.
Nashville, 7; New Orleans, 4.
Birmingham, 3; Shreveport, 5.
Chattanooga, 4; Little Rock, 6.

SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Report on Bills and Overtures—Theological Seminaries—Overture by Norfolk Presbytery.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSON, MISS., May 22.—The seventh day of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States opened with bright and clear weather and promise of being as uncomfortably warm as yesterday, when several delegates especially those from the mountain regions of Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky and the Carolinas, complained greatly of the heat, some of them remaining at home with crushed ice to their heads for fear of sunstroke. Yesterday was the hottest day ever experienced here in May, the temperature being 97.

Dr. Woods, secretary of the Committee on Bills and Overtures, made a report on sundry matters. One, demanding the publication of a Sunday school hymnal, was referred to the Sunday School Committee. Another, from the National Reform Association, asked that steps be taken to secure greater morality in schools, and that a day of prayer be named. The second Sabbath in September was designated. One from the General Assembly of the Australian Church, requesting aid in preventing the sale of firearms and liquors in the South Sea Islands was promised every assistance.

A number of standing committees reported. That on theological seminaries, showed that Columbia seminary has 25 students, Union seminary 69, Kentucky 51, Clarksville 17; a total of 162. The financial condition of all was reported better than for years. The expenses at Columbia, Louisville and Clarksville have been kept within the income, while the excess at Union seminary has decreased.

Austin, Texas, seminary reported that it has $100,000 interest bearing assets and will open for students October 1st next.

The overture of the Norfolk Presbytery asking the assembly to decline to recognize any official or ecclesiastical oversight of the Kentucky Theological Seminary was rejected. The overture of the Roanoke Presbytery asking the assembly to reconsider the action of the last assembly and withdraw its assent to the consolidation of the seminaries in Kentucky, was rejected by the committee.

At the afternoon session it was announced by the moderator that the assembly would adjourn sine die tomorrow night.

THE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Two Bishops Elected by the General Conference—Compromise Paper on the War Claim Matter Adopted

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DALLAS, TEXAS, May 22.—The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South to-day elected Dr. E. E. Hoss, of Tennessee, and Dr. A. Coke Smith, of Virginia, bishops. Dr. Hoss is the editor of the official paper of the Methodists, published at Nashville. Only one session of the conference was held, Bishop Hendrix presiding.

After the opening prayer the conference reconsidered the vote of yesterday that in electing two new bishops only one be voted for at a time, and decided that two be voted for on each ballot.

The conference refused to adopt a resolution to adjourn finally on Monday next at noon.

The special committee on revision of the war claim compromise paper adopted yesterday made its report and the paper as revised was adopted without discussion. Nine members of the publishing committee of nineteen, who signed the original minority report on the war claim, presented a paper asking that they be permitted to state, in the conference records, that they exonerate Dr. Collins Denny from any intimations in their report that his course had in any way been improper in connection with procuring the war claim appropriation from Congress.

The report of the Committee on Unification was read. It expressed sentiments of good will between the Northern and Southern Methodist churches, provided for a joint hymnal and recommended a plan for the unification of Methodists in Japan.

Between the ballots for bishops the session was devoted to consideration of the Finance Committee's report, proposing to raise $5,000,000 as an investment or endowment fund, the proceeds of which are to go to the support of superannuated preachers, their widows and orphans.

This feature of the report was adopted without material change.

BRITISH AND BOERS.

Concensus of Opinion in London is That Peace is Close at Hand.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, May 23.—The concensus of opinion here is that all the signs are propitious, but up to 2 o'clock this afternoon the British officials had given no indication of the course which the negotiations between Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner and the Boer delegates at Pretoria were taking. That conferences are occurring regarding the bases upon which peace shall be declared is the sum total of the information which the War Office has vouchsafed up to the present, though it is intimated that a definite announcement of the result, peaceful or otherwise, may be speedily expected. The impression that peace is close at hand has obviously taken a strong hold of operators on the Stock Exchange. The buying of consols and gilt-edged South African shares continues, it is believed, in behalf of well informed interests. A cabinet council has been summoned for to-morrow.

FIRE AT NEW ORLEANS.

Steamer John K. Speed With Cargo and Wharf Burned—Loss $75,000

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, May 22.—The steamer John K. Speed, lying at her wharf at the foot of Lafayette street, was burned to the waters' edge this afternoon. The boat and cargo are a total loss. A general fire alarm was turned in, as the wharves had taken fire and a very large section was burned away. A fire engine, which was backed near the wharf, slipped into the water because of an accident to the wedges under the wheels, and now lies at the bottom of the river. The loss will be, including the cargo and the wharves, fully $75,000. The Speed is valued at $40,000 and carries $35,000 insurance. The general cargo is a complete loss and will amount to fully $10,000.

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HORRIBLE AFFAIR AT LANSING, TEX.

Negro Who Assaulted a White Woman Captured and Burned at the Stake.

HE CONFESSED THE CRIME.

Implicated Another Negro—Great Crowd of People Gathered at the Place of Execution—Many Women Were Present—Negro Tortured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LONG VIEW, TEXAS, May 22.—The culmination of a man hunt, which has been in progress since last Saturday, was reached to-day when Dudley Morgan, colored, who assaulted Mrs. McKee, wife of a Texas and Pacific foreman, at Lansing, Texas, was burned at the stake near Lansing. It was learned this morning that the negro had been captured and was being taken to Lansing for identification, and by 11 o'clock great throngs had gathered at the Lansing switch and looking over the ground decided to make arrangements to burn the negro about a quarter of a mile away, on the line of the country road. The place of the execution decided upon was an open plot, smooth and covered with grass, being hedged in by high trees, which formed an opening two hundred yards wide and 300 yards long. The trees were literally lined with people an hour before the negro arrived. At 11 o'clock the train bringing the negro and his captors arrived in Marshall, near which place he was captured, and was met by a great crowd of people. Many more boarded the train at intermediate points and when it arrived at Lansing every car was crowded. Waiting at Lansing was another large crowd from Long View and the surrounding country.

Prisoner Identified.

The prisoner was taken from the train to the section house which stands close to the track and was positively indetified by Mrs. McKee and several negroes who worked on the section with Morgan. The negro was escorted by two hundred men armed with Winchesters to the place of execution. As he was chained to the stake he said he desired to make a statement. The crowd surged around him and those in charge tried in vain to make them stand back and keep quiet, while the negro talked. The negro made a statement in which he implicated another negro named Franklin Heard, saying he (Heard) was to get part of the money which was to be stolen.

Horribly Tortured.

Morgan confessed to having committed the crime and after having been securely tied to the stake with his hands and legs free, the members of the mob began to take ties from a fire already started and burn out his eyes. They held the burning timbers to his neck and after burning his clothes off, to other parts of the body. The negro screamed in agony. He was tortured in a slow and painful manner, with the crowd clamoring continuously for a slower death and the negro writhing and groaning begged piteously to be shot.

Mrs. McKee was brought to the scene in a carriage, accompanied by four other women and an effort was made to get the carriage close enough for her to see the negro. The crowd was so dense, however, that it was impossible.

Persons held each other on their shoulders, taking turns in looking at the awful sight. The negro's head finally dropped and the ties were piled around and over him. In half an hour only the trunk of the negro remained. As soon as the heat would permit parts of his skull and body were gathered up by some and carried away. As the fire died down the crowd took the two men who first caught the negro and held them up over their heads, while they held their Winchesters in their hands, and they were photographed.

Many Women Present.

Section Foreman McKee, husband of the woman assaulted, applied the match to the faggots. Many women were present from the surrounding country, but owing to the great crush they had very little opportunity to see the negro until the heat forced the crowd to widen the circle and the flames leaped over him. The railroad brought crowds of people to Long View Junction, where they boarded a limited train which does not ordinarily stop at Lansing. The engineer was forced at the point of a Winchester to stop at the scene of the lnyching, however, and the mob disembarked.

FRANCO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

President Loubet Accorded an Enthusiastic Reception in St. Petersburg.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—President Loubet arrived here to-day from Tsarskoe-Selo and was accorded an enthusiastic and popular reception. The railroad station and city were lavishly decorated, and men, women and children thronged the streets, waving tri-color flags and wearing Franco-Russian alliance souvenirs of all descriptions. The French President was met at the station by the Mayor of St. Petersburg, who offered him the customary bread and salt and heartily bade him welcome. M. Loubet, in reply, said he entertained no doubt of the cordiality of his reception in any part of Russia, as he knew the hearts of Russia and France beat in unison.

After inspecting the guard of honor, M. Loubet proceeded to the cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul. He was acclaimed along the route, followed by enormous crowds of people.

STRIKERS' DEMONSTRATION.

Marched on a Washery at Tamaqua and Compelled Operatives to Stop Work.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TAMAQUA, PA., May 22.—Led by a drummer and bugler, several hundred striking miners marched on the Smith-Meyers washery to-day. A sentry posted in a tree fired his gun as a warning to the men at the washery that the strikers were approaching. Operations were at once discontinued.

When the strikers were within fifty yards of the washery they were met by Charles Meyers, one of the operators. Mr. Meyers appealed to them not to damage any property or to injure any of the men. He said that he would pledge his word that not a pound of coal would be washed until the strike had been settled. The marchers then appointed a committee to meet the employes and the latter promised not to work until an order to do so is issued by the United Mine Workers officials.

Dr. J. L. M. Curry and Mrs. Curry left Madrid last night for Paris, where Dr. Curry is to make a speech at the Rochambeau banquet on Saturday next.

VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS AT MARTINIQUE.

Tremendous Effects of the Last Outburst. New Fissures Vomiting Yellow Whirlwinds—People Terrified.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FORT DE FRANCE, MARTINIQUE, May 22.—Streams of frightened refugees have been pouring into Fort de France from the surrounding country. These people are not destitute, but they are terrified. They want only one thing, and that is to be taken far away from this island, with which, they say, the gods are angry, and which they think will be destroyed by fire before it sinks under the sea.

The consuls here and the officers of the war vessels in the harbor are waylaid by scores of persons crazed with fear and begging to be carried away.

The United States steamship Dixie, Captain Berry, from New York, arrived to-day, after a quick and safe passage. The Dixie began landing her enormous cargo of supplies early and the storehouses on shore soon became congested. This is the greatest difficulty of the administration.

This morning the U. S. S. Potomac, with the commanders of the war vessels now here, went to inspect St. Pierre. With the greatest difficulty the party succeeded in making a landing. The effects of the outburst of yesterday were tremendous. The huge basalt towers of the cathedral were pulverized and the walls were hurled flat to the earth. The bombardment of volcanic stones is not sufficient to account for this, and all evidences point to the passage of a furious blast of blazing gas, travelling at enormous speed and with incalculable force. The deposi of boulders, ashes and angular stones is enormous. Not a living human being saw what happened at St. Pierre yesterday morning. The second eruption was many times more violent than that which effaced St. Pierre and swept its people from the earth. Nor has all volcanic activity ceased. Vast columns of smoke and gas still pour from the great crater. New fissures have opened on the mountain sides and are vomiting yellow whirlwinds, which rush intermittently now from one point, and now from another. Boiling mud is also thrown out at times in torrents that reach the sea and produce small tidal waves.

FURNITURE MANUFACTURERS.

A Combination to Control Output—New Schedule of Prices.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Two hundred leading furniture manufacturers of the country, who came to Chicago Tuesday to attend the annual business meeting of the National Association of Chamber Suit and Case Manufacturers, it is announced, to-day formed a combination or pool, which will control the furniture output of the country and regulate the prices. The capital represented is about $25,000,000. The organization adopted a new schedule of prices to go into effect at once, which will increase the cost of all classes of the better grade of furniture 10 to 20 per cent. to purchasers.

REVOLUTION IN HAYTI.

U. S. Cruiser Topeka at Port-au-Prince to Protect American Interests.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAYTI, May 21.—The U. S. cruiser Topeka arrived here to-day from Port Royal, S. C., to protect American interests. The presence of the warship in these waters has had an excellent effect. The situation of affairs is improving.

The northern army, commanded by General Firmin, has halted at Aroahae, two days' march from here. He is said to have formally declared that he does not intend to enter Port-au-Prince at the head of his troops.

STORM IN OHIO.

Two Persons Were Killed and Many Others Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TOLEDO, O., May 22.—A terrific electric and wind storm passed over Northwestern Ohio this afternoon. Two persons were killed, one fatally injured and many others less seriously injured. Much damage was done in the oil fields.

WARM WIRELETS

The President has nominated Amanda E. Morris to be postmaster at Hendersonville, N. C.

No meeting of the Louisville and Nashville was held yesterday. The next regular meeting will be held on June 10th.

The tenth day of the anthracite coal miners' strike passed off very quietly, not a single incident developing which would in any way tend to change the present situation.

Twenty or twenty-two bodies of victims of the Fraterville mine horror are still missing. Searching parties have brought out 204 dead bodies and are hard at work in efforts to recover the remainder.

The two-masted schooner Rebecca, from New York to Norfolk, light, for cargo, arrived in port yesterday in distress. Heavy gales were reported on the way down the coast and the greater part of the vessel's canvas was blown away.

King Christian, it is said, has assented to Secretary Hay's request for the extention for one year, namely, until July 24th, 1903, of the time allowed for the ratification of the treaty for the sale to the United States of the Danish West Indies.

The four per cent. bonds which the Southern Railway and the Louisville and Nashville road are to issue in payment of their Monon purchase will be a joint liability on both roads. Should either road default in its obligation, the other would be liable for the entire amount. The statement is made on the authority of J. P. Morgan & Co.

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

General Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in the City of Richmond, Virginia, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Monday, the sixteenth day of June, 1902, for the purpose of considering, authorizing and voting on the proposition to issue bonds of the Company to an amount not to exceed twenty thousand dollars per mile of railway actually owned and not to exceed in the aggregate eighty millions of dollars ($80,000,000) payable in gold coin not more than fifty years from their date, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, which bonds will include the amount necessary to retire all bonds now outstanding and secured by underlying morigages and also the amount necessary for the acquirement of additional properties, and will, when all the bonds are ultimately issued, increase the present bonded indebtedness of the consolidated Company about thirty-three million dollars; and for the purpose of considering, authorizing and providing for the execution and issue of a morigage or deed of trust to secure said bonds, embracing all of the railways, property and franchises of the Company, and for the purpose of considering and acting upon such other matters as may be legally presented at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors: Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company

By JAMES F. POST, Secretary.

Dated May 13, 1902. my 15 till je 16



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Maxton Building and Loan Association,

MAXTON N. C

DIRECTORS:

J. D. CROOM, MAXTON.
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Very truly yours for good hot weather.

THE INDEPENDENT ICE CO.

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W. E. WORTH & CO.

Invite the attention of the public to the following facts:

March 17, the following prices were put out quietly by our competitors:

10, 15 and 25 lb. Tickets	40c pr 100
50 pound "	35c pr 100
100 pound "	30c pr 100
300 pound block	75c pr blk
1,000 to 2,000 pounds	25c pr 100

March 18th, we openly announced our prices as follows:

10 and 15 lb Tickets	40c pr 100
25 and 50 lb "	35c pr 100
100 "	25c pr 100
300 pound block	70c pg blk
1,000 to 2,000 pounds	20c pr 100

No compression Ice Machine does or can make, as pure Ice as Absorption Machines, and none better than we make can be offered this public. We know this from seventeen years experience. The question of profit has been eliminated, but we propose to sell you as good Ice as any one else, and at as low a price.

We respectfully solicit your patronage.

Wm. E. Worth & Co.

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And three floors of the best Furniture with lowest prices we have ever offered in Wilmington. The Dixie Net and Frame put on your bed for $2.50. Come and see for yourselves.

THE SNEED CO.,

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Wear McMillan's $3.00 Shoe

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